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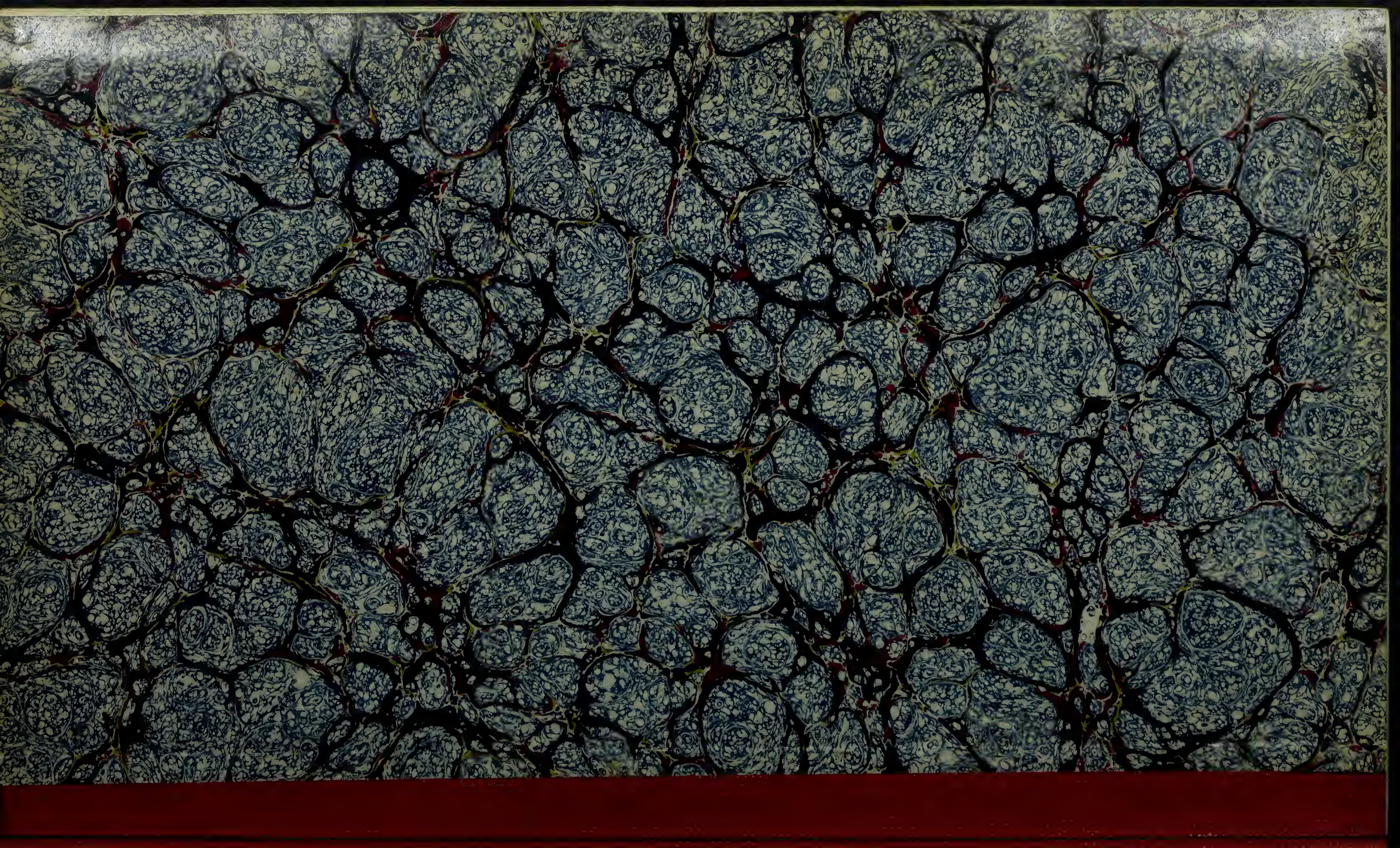

Primary
September 15
1906

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Worcester ss

To either of the Constables of the Town of Dana in the County of Worcester

Greetings

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts You are hereby directed To notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town, qualified to vote in elections and in Town affairs to meet at the Selectmen Room (so called) in said Dana on Tuesday the Fifteenth day of September next at two o'clock in the afternoon. then and there to act on the following articles:—

To bring in their votes to the primary officers for the Nomination of candidates of Political parties for the following offices:

Governor	For this Commonwealth	
Lieutenant Governor	"	"
Secretary of the Commonwealth	"	"
Treasurer and Receiver General	"	"
Auditor of the Commonwealth	"	"
Attorney General	"	"
Senator in Congress	"	"
Representative in Congress	3d Congressional	District
Councillor	7th Councillor	"
Senator	Worcester-Hampden	"
Representative in General Court	1st Worcester	"
Register of Insolvency & Probate.	Worcester	County
County Commissioners (2)	"	"
County Treasurer	"	"

The Polls will Close at 6. P. M.

over

and you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at each of the two Post Offices in said Town seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting

Hereof fail not. and make due return of this Warrant. with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at the time and place of meeting. as aforesaid

Given under our hands this fifth day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirty six

John A. Humphreys
Albert E. Towne
Harry S. Hill
Selectmen of Dana

Worcester ss

Pursuant to the within Warrant I have notified and warned the inhabitants of the Town of Dana by posting up attested copies of the same at the two Post Offices seven days before the date thereof as within directed

Guy D. Harwood

Constable of Dana

Sept 10 1956

Pursuant a meeting was held. it was called to order by Moderator William A. Parkerson at 10 o'clock a.m. Leroy H. Thayer. Republican and Frank B. Crawford. Democrat. were the ballots clerks and counted. Ray F. Harvell constable at the ballot box
at 6. o'clock it was voted to keep the polls open until 6:30 P.M.
When the polls were declared closed the ballots were then sorted, counted and declaration made as follows

Democratic Party had 17 votes

Governor

Charles F. Hurley	had	15 votes
	Blank	2
		17

Lieutenant Governor

Philip J. Philbin	had	9 votes
Thomas F. Galvin	"	5
Francis E. Kelly	"	1
	Blank	2
		17

Secretary

Joseph Santosuosso	had	9
William J. Shearer	"	1
John J. Buckley	"	5
John F. O'Brien	"	1
Edward W. O'Brien	"	0
William F. Sullivan	"	0
	Blank	1
		17

Treasurer

James C Scanlon	had	6
James M. Hurley	"	7
	Blanks	4
		17

Auditor

Thomas N. Buckley	Lad	10 votes
Leo F. Walsh	"	3
	Blank	4
		17

Attorney General

Paul A Dever	Lad	12
	Blank	5
		17

Senator in Congress

James M Curley	Lad	7
Robert E. Greenwood	"	7
	Blank	3
		17

Congressman 3d Distrt

Joseph E. Casey	Lad	16
Thomas F. Mc Manus	"	1
	Blank	0
		17

Councillor 7 Distrt

Charles J. O'Connor	Lad	9
	Blank	8
		17

Senator Worcester - Hampden

Peter J. O'Malley	Lad	8 "
John T. Phillipps	"	5 "
	Blank	4
		17

Representative in Grand Court 1st Worcester

Clarence E. Frost	Lad	1 Vote
	Blank	16
		17

Register of Probate & Insolvency

F. Joseph Donohue	Lad	5 Votes
Robert R. Gallagher	"	7 "
Edward D. Worst	"	2 "
	Blank	3 "
		17

County Commissioner Vote for 2

Francis E. Cassidy	Rad	6 Votes
Isidore Wilfred Smith	"	6 "
Charles F. Turner	"	10 "
Blank		12 "
		34

County Treasurer

Alexander G. Lazoni	Rad	13 "
Blank		4
		17

Republican Party 87 Votes

Governor

John W. Naugle	Rad	84 votes

Lieutenant Governor

Lieutenant Laltenstall	Rad	81 votes

Secretary

Frederick W. Cook	Rad	73 "

Treasurer

William E. Hurley	Rad	64 "
William G. Andrew	"	3 "
Fred Jefferson Burrell	"	6 "

Auditor

Richard Darby	Rad	52 "
Russell A. Wood	"	15 "

Attorney General

Felix Porter	Rad	73 "

Over

Sept 1st Primary 1914

Senator in Congress

Henry Cabot Lodge Jr	Rep	89 votes
Alvin B. Croft	"	6 "
Guy M Gray	"	8 "

Congressman 3d Dist

Joseph E. Casey	Rep	25 "
Richard W Doyle	"	28 "
Charles C Murdock	"	9 "

Councillor 7th Dist

Leo A. J. Charbonneau	Rep	15 "
Winfield A. Schuster	"	15 "

Senator, Worcester-Hampden

Thomas N. Johnson	Rep	70 "

Representative in General Court 1st Worcester

Charles W. Cooke	Rep	25 "
Homer E. Dean	"	54 "

Register of Probate and Insolvency Worcester Co

Leon E. Felton	Rep	67 "

County Commissioner Worcester County

Arthur Anderson	Rep	8 votes
Ray C. Bartlett	"	48 "
Joseph A. Carver	"	02 "
Lemuel D. Carter	"	06 "
Earl P. Brackett	"	11 "
Elbert M. Brackett	"	52 "
David J. Harrington	"	05 "
G. Arthur Wells	"	02 "

County Treasurer Worcester Co

Ralph R. Kendall	Rep	78 votes

Fred E. Doane Town Clerk

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Dana October 14, 1936

In accordance of the requirements of General Laws chapter 41 Section 19a (acts of 1935 chapter 70) I certify that Fred C. Doane was elected to the office of Clerk of the Town of Dana at the election held March 2 1936 for the term of office expiring March 10, 1937 and that said clerk has qualified by taking the oath of office

John A. Humphreys
Chairman Board of Selectmen

Dana Oct 14 1936

I hereby certify that I have entered upon the duties of Clerk of the Town of Dana

Fred C. Doane

Warrant for
Annual
Election
Nov 3
1936

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Worcester ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Dana in the County of Worcester. Greeting

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town qualified to vote in elections and

and in Town affairs to meet at the Selectmen room. North Dana in said Dana. on Tuesday the Third day of November next at Ten o'clock in the forenoon then and there to act on the following articles:-

To vote for the officers and questions on Official Ballot:

Presidential Electors. Governor. Lieutenant Governor. Secretary Treasurer. Auditor attorney General. Senator in Congress Representative in Congress. Senator Representative in General Court Register of Probate and Insolvency. Two County Commissioners. County Treasurer And the following Question

To obtain a full expression of opinion Voters should vote on all three of the following question

a) If a voter desires to permit the sale in this town of any and all alcoholic beverages to be drunk on and off the premises where sold. he will vote "yes" on all three questions

b) If he desires to permit the sale here of wines and malt beverages only to be drunk on and off the premises where sold. he will vote "No" on question one. "Yes" on question two and No on question three

c) If he desires to permit the sale here of all alcoholic beverages but only in packages. so called Not to be drunk

on the premises where sold. he will vote "No" on question one and two and "yes" on question three

d) If he desires to permit the sale herein of wines and malt beverages to be drunk on and off the premises where sold. he will vote "No" on question one and "yes" on question two and three

e) If he desires to prohibit the sale herein of any and all alcoholic beverages whether to be drunk on or off the premises where sold. he will vote "No" on all three questions

1 Shall licenses be granted in this city or (town) for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages (Whiskey, rum, gin, malt beverages, wine and all other alcoholic beverages)?

2 Shall licenses be granted in this city (or town) for the sale therein of (wines and malt and malt beverages. (Wines and beer, ale and all other malt beverages)

3 Shall desires to prohibit the state (category) (of town) for the sale alcoholic beverages in packages, so called. Not to be drunk on the premises

Polls May close at six o'clock P. M

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting up attested copies

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Three at each of the two Post-Offices in said Town seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting

Hereof fail not. and make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon. To the Town Clerk. at the time and place of meting as aforesaid.

Given under our hands this Twenty First day of October in the year of our Lord One Thousand nine hundred and Twenty six

John A. Humphreys
Albert G. Doane
Harry S. Witt
Selectmen of Dana

A true copy Attest:
Guy L. Harvell Constable

Worcester ss

Pursuant to the within Warrant. I have notified and warned the inhabitants of the Town of Dana by posting up attested copies of the same of the same at each of the Post-Offices seven days before the date hereof as within directed

Guy L. Harvell
Constable
of Dana

Town November 3 1936

Pursuant to the foregoing Warrant a meeting was called to order by William A. Hutton Moderator with Frank B. Brawley Democrat and Leroy L. Thayer Republican as ballot clerks and tellers.

at 6.00 o'clock it was voted to extend the hours of closing until 6.30 PM when the polls were declared closed The ballots were then counted and declaration made Total number of votes cast One hundred seventy three

For Presidential Electors and Vice President

Aiken and Teichert	Lead	None
Browder and Ford	"	None
Colvin and Watson	"	None
Landon and Knox	"	121 votes
Lemke and O'Brien	"	None
Roosevelt and Gomez	"	47 votes
Thomas and Nelson	"	None
	Blanks	5
	Total number of votes	173

Governor

Fred G. Buswell	Lead	None
Alfred E. Davis	"	None
John W. Haggis	"	128 votes
Horace A. Hakins	"	None
Otis Archer Ford	"	None
Charles F. Hurley	"	40
Alfred Baker Lewis	"	None
William H. McMasters	"	1
	Blanks	4
		173

Nov 3
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Lieutenant Governor		
Henning A. Blomen	Rad	None
Truman W. Follett	"	1
Walter S. Hutchins	"	None
Francis E. Kelley	"	36
Everett Saltonstall	"	124
Paul G. Wicks	"	None
	Blanks	12
		173

Secretary		
Frederick W. Cook	Rad	119
Ralph Don	"	1
George L. McGlynn	"	None
Mary Moore	"	None
Joseph Santosuosso	"	34
	Blank	19
		173

Treasurer		
Thomas Gilmartin	Rad	None
Mabelle M. Grove	"	None
Harold J. Hatfield	"	None
Eva Hoffman	"	None
James M. Hurley	"	38
William E. Hurley	" 124	124
Sylvester J. McBride	"	None
	Blank	11
		173

Auditor		
Lyman A. Aldrich	Rad	1
Thomas H. Aldrich	"	36
Richard Darby	"	1
Elizabeth Donovan	"	None
Alfred Haase	"	None
Walter J. Hogan	"	None
Russel A. Wood	"	126
	Blanks	19
		178

Attorney General

Moses Bergon	Lad	None
Paul Dever	"	43
Fitzy Forte	"	115
George F. Hogan	"	None
Fred E. Oelcher	"	None
Michael Sugsgian	"	None
	Blanks	15
		173

Senator in Congress

Alonzo B. Cook	Lad	5
Albert Sprague Coolidge	"	None
James M. Curley	"	18
Ernest L. Dodge	"	None
Charles Flaherty	"	None
Guy M. Gray	"	1
Moses Gulesian	"	2
Henry Cabot Lodge	"	124
Wilbur F. Horne	"	None
Thomas C. O. Brien	"	2
	Blanks	21
		173

Congressman 3 Dist

Joseph E Casey	Lad	57
Bernard W. Doyle	"	108
	Blanks	8
		173

Councillor 7th Dist

Charles J. O'Connor	Lad	56
Winfield A. Schuster	"	121
Arthur J. Whalley	"	None
	Blanks	16
		173

Senator Worcester - Hampden

Thomas N. Johnson	Rep	122
Peter F. O'Malley	"	37
	Blanks	14
		173

Representative in General Court

Charles H. Cooke	Rep	138
	Blanks	35
		173

Register of Probate and Insolvency

William G. Adam	Rep	None
F. Joseph Donohue	"	32
Leon E. Sutton	"	110
	Blanks	31
		173

County Commissioner Vote for 2

Ray P. Bartlett	Rep	85
Francis O. Cassidy	"	25
Earl P. Bartlett	"	1
Elbert H. Bartlett	"	93
Toivo Haunula	"	None
Deadone Welford Smith	"	17
Oliver Williams	"	10
	Blanks	115
		346

County Treasurer

Ralph R. Kendall	Rep	118
Alexander G. Lagorio	"	30
	Blanks	25
		173

Nov 3
1926

Licenses

#1

Yes	Lad	40
No	"	63
	Blanks	70
		173

#2

Yes	Lad	41
No	"	59
	Blanks	73
		173

#3

Yes	Lad	41
No	"	64
	Blanks	68
		173

Fred E. Doane
Town Clerk

Contents of Town blanks
First Representative Districts of the County
of Worcester

We. the undersigned. Town Clerks of the Town of Athol. Barre. Dana. Petersham and Phillipston. which towns constitute the First Representative District of the County of Worcester. being met at the Towns Clerks Office of the Town of Athol. this thirteenth day of November. 1926 at twelve o'clock noon. and having examined the records of votes cast in each of said towns. at the Biennial State Election on November 2. 1926 for the office of Representative in the General Court do hereby certify that the following is a true list of the names of all persons for whom votes for Representative were cast in said district and the number of votes received by each person:

Charles A. Cooke of Athol Republican

In Athol -	Thirty-seven hundred eighty one	3781
In Barre -	Eight hundred sixty two	862
In Dana -	One hundred thirty eight	138
In Petersham -	Three hundred thirty nine	339
In Phillipston -	One hundred Thirty-four	134
Total -	Fifty-two hundred-fifty five	5255

Clarence E. Doane of Athol

In Athol -	Two	2
In Petersham -	One	1
	Total - three	3

Ernest A Verrier of Athol

In Athol	One	1
	Total	1

John H. Nolan

In Athol	One	1
	Total	1

Blanks

In Athol -	Nine hundred-twenty three	923
In Barre -	Four hundred thirty-four	434
In Dana -	Thirty-five	35
In Petersham -	Fifty five	55
In Phillipston -	Fifty-two	52
	Total	1499

Walter E Farnum	Town Clerk of Athol
Edward B. Blanchard	Town Clerk of Barre
Fred E. Doane	Town Clerk of Dana
Mary E. Knowlton	Town Clerk of Petersham
Mary M Orland	Town Clerk of Phillipston

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Amended Return of Votes

I Certify that all the requirements of law have been complied with. and that the following is a true copy of the record of votes given for Lieutenant Governor in the Town of Dana at the election held on the third day of November 1908 as determined by a recount held on the third day of December 1908

Benning A Bowen had		None	0
Emma N. Fallett	"	One	1
Walter S. Hutchins	"	None	0
Francis G. Kelley	"	Thirty six	36
Everett C. Saltonstall	"	one hundred twenty four	124
Paul C. Wicks	"	None	0
Blank Ballots			12
Total Number of Ballots			173

One hundred seventy Three

John A. Humphreys
Albert C. Doane
Harry S. Hall
} Registrars of Voters of Dana

Attest: Fred C. Doane Clerk

North Dana Massachusetts
January 4 1907

The Board of Health of the Town of Dana hereby grant to William W Potter permit to act as undertaker insofar as the disinterment and removal of bodies is concerned. a record of such proceedings shall be kept and reported quarterly to the town clerk of said Town

Lester L Hager
Charles O. Lindsay
Albert E. Stone
} Board of Health Town of Dana

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Annual March meeting March 4 1907

Worcester ss

To either of the Constables of the Town of Dana in the County of Worcester Greeting"

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town qualified to vote in elections and in Town affairs to meet at the Town Hall in said Dana on Monday the fourth day of March next at Ten o'clock in the forenoon then and there to act on the following articles:

Art 1. To bring in your votes for Selectmen

member of Board of Public Welfare.
Assessor. School Committee Trustee of Public Library
member Board Health. Cemetary Commissioner. all
for the Term of three years: Town Clerk, Moderator
Constables, Town Treasurer, Auditor, Collector of Taxes
Tree Warden, and two Sextons. all for the term of one
year all on one ballot

Art 2 To receive the reports of Town Officers and Committees
and act thereon

Art 3 To see if the Town will vote to raise
and appropriate such sums of money as
may deem necessary to defray Town charges
and expenses for the ensuing year and make
appropriation for the same

Art 4 To see if the Town will vote to authorize
the Town Treasurer with the approval of the
Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time, in
anticipation of the revenue of the financial
year beginning January 1, 1927, and to issue
a note or notes therefor, payable within
one year, and to renew any note or notes
as may be given for a period of less than one year
in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44
General Laws

Art 5 To see if the Town will authorize the
Selectmen to enter into an agreement with
the Department of Public Works, Division of Highways
for the repair and general improvement of the highways
of the Town for the year 1927 as provided under
Chapter 81 of the General Laws or act in
relation thereto

Art 6 To see if the Town will vote raise and appropriate the sum $1000. for Oil and Macadam to be used in conjunction with the amounts to be contributed by the State and County. or act in relation thereto

Art 7 To see if the Town will vote and appropriate a sum of money to bond the Town officers and authorize the Town Clerk to provide the same

Art 8 To see if the Town will vote raise and appropriate the sum of $1720. to be used with the State Allotment (Chapter 81)

Art 9 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $700. to complete Widening the Dana Center Road. to be used in conjunction with the amount to be contributed by the State and County or act in relation thereto

Art 10 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum $610.49 for the Worcester County Hospital apportionment for Tuberculosis in accordance with the following: Care and Maintenance $215.44 Interest on bonds $143.05 Construction $252.00

Art 11 To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Assessors to use the sum of $4000.00 in the reduction of the 1937 Tax rate as provided in Chapter 7. Act of 1933

Art 12 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate $ 5000. for Administration. Furniture, Materials and equipment for Works Progress Administration to be used with Federal allotment;

Art 13 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the proper observance of Memorial Day

Art 14 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the suppression of Gypsy and Brown Tail Moths

Art 15 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the relief of needy Soldiers or take action in relation thereto

Art 16 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $ 500. for the payment and extinguishment of Town Debts

Art 17 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the care of Town Common, or act in relation thereto

Art 18 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate $ 175.00 for a new snow plow or act in relation thereto

Art 19 To act on any other business that may properly come before said Meeting

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at each of the two Post Offices in said Town seven

March 1 1937

days at least before the time of holding said meeting

Hereof Fail Not and make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at the time and place of meeting as aforesaid

Given under hands this eighteenth day February in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirty seven

John A. Humphreys
Albert E. Doane
Harry S. Witt

Selectmen of Dana

Worcester ss

Pursuant to the within Warrant I have notified and warned the inhabitants of the Town of Dana and North Dana by posting up attested copies of the same at each of the two Post offices seven days before the date hereof as within directed

Guy L. Worrell

Constable of Dana

March 1 1937

March 1 1937

Pursuant to the foregoing Warrant the meeting was called to order by William A Anderson Woodcock who read the Warrant and declared the polls open to ballot for offices

Art 1 Polls were declared open

Art 2 Voted to accept of the Town Officers report

Art 3 Voted to raise and appropriate the following amounts

Administration and accounts	$	500.00
Assessors		100.00
Cemetaries with income from Trust funds		250.00
Street Lights		1420.
Fire Department		500.
Art 16 Forest fire department (art 16)		700.
Health department		100.
Insurance		300.
Libraries - with dog tax		300.
Meetings and elections		150.00
Military Aid		50.
Police		300.
Public Welfare and Old Age assistance		3000
Reserve fund		1000.00
State Aid		100.
Town Hall		25.00
Highways and Bridges		2000.
Town Officers Salaries		1000.00
Tree Warden		50.
Schools		11000.
Vocational Training 2324		404.
Art 6 Oil and Maintenance		1000.
Art 7 Bonds for Town Officers		50.
Art 8 Highways		1720
Art 9 Town Equipment for Road		500
	$	26519

			$ 2 6 5 19
Art 10	Worcester Co Hospital	✓	6 1 0 .49
Art 12	W. P. A	✓	1 0 0 0.
Art 13	Memorial Day	✓	7 5.
Art 14	Moth Dept	✓	1 0 0.
Art 15	Soldiers Relief	✓	3 0 0.
Art 16	Tree warden Expense	✓	3 0.
Art 18	Snow Plow	✓	1 7 5
Art 19	Town Center Water	✓	1 0 0
"	Sand spreader & White Front Market		1 2 5.
			$ 2903 4. 49

Art 4 Voted to authorize the Town Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1. 1937. and to issue a note or notes therefor payable within one year and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year. in accordance with Section 17 Chapter 44 General Laws

Art 5 Voted to authorize the Selectmen to enter into an agreement with the Department of Public Works. Division of Highways for the repair and general improvement of the highways of the Town for the year 1937 as provided under Chapter 81 of the General Laws

Art 6 Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $1000. for aid and maintenance to be used in conjunction with the amount contributed by the State and County

Art 7 Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of 50.= to bond its Town Officers and authorize the Town Clerk to procure the same

Art 8 Voted to raise appropriate the sum of $1720 to be used with the State allotment Chapter 81

Art 9 Voted to raise and appropriate 500.= to complete Widening the Dana Center Road to be used in conjunction with the amount to be contributed by the State and County

Art 10 Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $ 610.49 for the Worcester County Hospital, apportionment for Tuberculosis in accordance with the following care and Maintenance 215.44 Interest on bonds 145.05 Construction 252.00

Art 11 Voted to authorize the Assessors to use the sum of $4.000 in the reduction of the 1937 Tax Rate as provided in chapter 7. Acts of 1933

Art 12 Voted to raise and appropriate $1000. for Administration Clerk Hire. Material and equipment for Works Progress Administration. to be used with Federal Allotment

Art 13 Voted to raise and appropriate $ 75.00 for the proper observance of Memorial Days

Art 14 Voted to raise and appropriate 100.= for the suppression of Gypsy and Brown-Tail Moths

Art 15 Voted to raise and appropriate 300.= for the relief of needy soldiers

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Art 16 Voted to raise and appropriate $ 700.
for the prevention and extinguishment
of forest fires

Art 17 Voted to raise and appropriate 30.00
for the care of Dana Common

Art 18 Voted to raise and appropriate 175.00
for a new Snow Plow

Art 19 Voted to appropriate 100. for care
of Dana Center Water

" 19 Voted to raise and appropriate 125.00
to purchase a Sand Spreader
and a White Line Marker

" Voted to accept a sum of money
from the estate of Jennie E. Pierce Est
for the care of the Eldredge Stone
Cemetary lot

" Voted to Transfer to the Town of
Petersham the Cemetary Trust fund
in the name of Geo. W. Randall

Moved that we authorize the Treasurer
with the approval of the Selectmen. to transfer
any cemetary trust funds to those legally
competent to receive them in cases where
there lots for care of which they exist is
exchanged for a lot in another cemetary

At 6. O Clock P.M. Polls were closed and the
ballots were sorted and counted and declared
made as follows

Town Officers Elected

Moderator	William A Hutchinson	S	85 Votes
Town Clerk	Fred E. Doane	S	83 "
Treasurer	Nathan M. Townsley	S	78 "
Selectmen	John A Humphreys	S	74
	Henry A. Carey		2
Overseer Welfare	John E. Humphreys	S	71
	Henry A. Carey		2
Assessor	John A. Humphreys	S	74
	Henry A. Carey		2
Tax Collector	Henry A Carey	S	82
School Committee	Felix C. Wildes	S	80
Constable	Guy L. Worrell		82
	Walter Moore	S	77
	Albert E. Doane	S	77
	Leslie Cooley		1
	Norman Akers		1
Board of Health	Charles O. Lindsey	S	74
Trustee Public	Nellie A. Shattuck	S	78
Auditor	Laura Golden	S	80
Cemetary Committee	Freeman Legotte	S	71

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Fire Warden	Walter Yoost	S	75 votes	
Sexton Dana	Orrin E. Vaughn		74	
Sexton A.	Truman Lyon	S	69	

Dana March 5 1937

Fred E. Doane town clerk. The following appointments have been made for the following year 1937

Inspectors of Animals		Yonne Berry
Sealer of Weights and Measures	S	Albert E. Doane
Inspectors of Slaughter	S	Leroy N. Thayer
Dog Officer	S	Guy L. Harvell
Public Weigher		Harry Hasken
Surveyors of Wood and Lumber		Ulysses A Towne Edgar O. Vaughn
Supt of Highways	S	Walter Moore
Work Supt	S	Henry Bishop
Forest Fire Warden	S	Leroy N. Thayer
Water Commissioner	S	Truman Lyon
Chief of Police	S	Albert E. Doane

Polls closed

Fred E. Doane town clerk

Nama June 12 1937

This certifies that I have appointed Henry A. Carey as assistant Town Clerk and he has taken the oath of office

Fred E. Doane
Town Clerk

Annual Town Meeting Mar. 7, 1938

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Worcester S.S

To either of the Constables of the Town of Dana in the County of Worcester, Greeting

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town, qualified to vote in elections and on Town Affairs, to meet at the Grange Hall, North Dana, in said Town of Dana on Monday, the Seventh day of March at Ten o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act upon the following articles:

Art. 1 To bring in your votes for Selectman, Member of the Board of Public Welfare, Assessor, School Committee, Trustee of the Public Library, Member of the Board of Health, Cemetery Commissioner, all for the term of three years; Town Clerk, Moderator, Town Treasurer, Auditor, Collector of Taxes, Tree Warden, Constable and two sextons, all for the term of one year, all on one ballot. The Polls will be open at ten o'clock in the forenoon and may close at six o'clock in the afternoon.

Art. 2 To receive the reports of the Town Officers and Committees and act thereon.

Art. 3 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate such sums of money as may seem necessary to defray town charges and expenses for the ensuing year and make appropriations for the same.

Art. 4 To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1938, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

Art. 5 To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to enter into an agreement with the Department of Public Works, Division of Highways, for the repair and general improvement of the highways of the Town for the year 1938, as provided under Chapter 81 of the General Laws or act in relation thereof.

Art. 6 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $1000. for aid and maintenance to be used in conjunction with amount

to be contributed by the State and County, or act in relation thereto.

Art. 7 To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to hand its Town Officers and authorize the Town Clerk to procure the same.

Art. 8 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,720. to be used with State allotment (Chapter 81).

Art. 9 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate $500. to widen certain curves on Greenwich-Petersham Road, to be used in conjunction with the amount to be contributed by the State and County or act in relation thereto.

Art. 10 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate $590.92 for the Worcester County Hospital apportionment for tuberculosis in accordance with the following: Care and maintenance, $206.59; Interest on Bonds, $132.33; Construction, $252.00

Art. 11 To see if the Town will raise and appropriate $200 for Administration, Truck Hire, Materials and Equipment for Works Progress Administration to be used with Federal allotments.

Art 12 To see if the Town will raise and appropriate a sum of money for the proper observance of Memorial Day.

Art 13. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Assessors to use the sum of $4,000 in the reduction of the 1938 Tax Rate as provided in Chapter 7, Acts of 1933.

Art 14. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate a sum of money for the suppression of the Gypsy and Brown tail moths.

Art. 15 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the relief of needy soldiers, or take any action relating thereto.

Art. 16 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $500. for the prevention and extinguishment of forest fires.

Art 17 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the care of Dana Common, or act in relation thereto.

Art 18 To act on any other business which may properly come before said meeting.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested copies hereof in each of the Post offices in said Town seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting.

Hereof, fail not to make due return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon unto the Town Clerk at the time and place of meeting as aforesaid.

Given under our hands this eighteenth day of February, in the year of our Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred Thirty-eight.

John A. Humphreys
Albert E. Doane
Harry S. Mott
Selectmen of Dana

Worcester S.S.

Pursuant to the above Warrant, I have notified the said inhabitants of the Town of Dana, as above directed

Guy L. Maxwell
Constable of Dana

March 7, 1938

Pursuant to the foregoing Warrant the meeting was called to order by William A. Mikesell Moderator who read the Warrant and declared the Polls open to ballot for offices

Art 1 Polls were declared open

Art 2 Voted to accept the Town officers Reports

Art 3 Voted to raise and appropriate the following amounts.

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	Administrations and accounts	500.00
	Assessors Department	100.00
	Cemeteries (income from Trust Funds extra)	250.00
	Electric Street lights	1400.00
	Fire Department	500.00
Art. 16	Forest Fire Department Art 16	500.00
	Health Department	100.00
	Insurance	900.00
	Libraries (Dog Tax Fund extra)	300.00
	Meetings & Elections	150.00
	Military Aid	50.00
	Police and Protection	300.00
	Public Welfare - Old Age Assistance	4,000.00
	Reserve Fund	1,000.00
	State Aid	25.00
	Highways & Bridges	2,000.00
	Town officers Salaries	1,000.00
	Tree Warden	50.00
	Schools	6800.00
	Vocational Training	300.00
Art. 6	Aid & Maintenance (chap. 90)	1000.00
Art 8	Town Highways (chap. 81)	1720.00

Art. 9	Widening Curves Greenwich-Petersham Road	500.00
Art 10	Tuberculosis Hospital	590.92
Art 11	W P A.	500.00
Art 12	Memorial Day Appropriation only	75.00
Art 14	Moth Suppression	100.00
Art 15	Soldiers Relief	200.00
	Water	100.00

Art. 4 Voted to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1938, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

Art. 5 Voted to authorize the Selectmen to enter into an agreement with the Department of Public Works, Division of Highways, for the repair and general improvement of Highways of the Town for the year 1938 as provided under Chapter 81, of the General Laws.

Art. 6 Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,000. for aid and maintenance to be used in conjunction with amount to be contributed by the State and County.

Art 7 Voted to raise and appropriate $45.00 to bond its Town Officers and authorized the Town Clerk to procure the same

Art 8 Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $1720. to be used with State allotment (Chapter 81)

Art. 9 Voted to raise and appropriate $500. to widen certain curves on Greenwich-Petersham Road, to be used in conjunction with the amount to be contributed by the State and County.

Art. 10 Voted to raise and appropriated $590.92 for the Worcester County Hospital apportionment for tuberculosis in accordance with the following: Care and maintenance $206.59; Interest on Bonds, $132.33; Construction $252.00.

Art 11. Voted to raise and appropriated $500. for Administration, Truck Hire, Materials and Equipment for Works Progress Administration to be used with

Federal allotment.

Art. 12 Voted to appropriate $75.00 for the proper observance of Memorial Day.

Art. 13 Voted to authorize the assessors to use the sum of $4000. in the reduction of the 1938 Tax Rate as provided in Chapter 7, Acts of 1933.

Art. 14 Voted to raise and appropriate $100. for the suppression of the Gypsy and Brown tail moths.

Art. 15 Voted to raise and appropriate $200. for the relief of needy soldiers.

Art. 16 Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $500. for the prevention and extinguishment of forest fires.

Art. 17 Voted to raise and appropriate $30.00 for the care of Dana Common.

Art. 18 Other business as follows:

Voted that the disposal of Dana Library Books to be left with the Library Trustees of Dana and to confer with Miss Mildred Jones, State Library Trustee and the Town counsel as to the legality in this matter.

Voted to elect a committee of three citizens to act as an Electric Light Committee. The following were nominated and elected: William A. Nickerson
William Hackett
John A. Humphreys.

Voted unanimously to have the Town Clerk send a letter to Mr Fred Keane expressing the thanks for the inhabitants of Dana for his long an faithful services as Town Clerk of Dana.

Business meting adjourned at 12:10 P.M.

Polls opened closed by Mr William A Nickerson at 6:00 P.M. and the Ballots were sorted and counted and elections made as follows:

Town Officers Elected.

			No. of Votes.
Moderator for one year	William A. Nickerson	S	62
Town Clerk for one year	Henry A Laney	S	59
Town Treasurer for one year	Katie M Hankerday	S	54
Selectmen for 3 years	Guy L. Maxwell	S	62
Board of Public Welfare for 3 years	Guy L. Maxwell	S	64
Assessor for 3 years	Guy L. Maxwell	S	63

Collector of Taxes one year	Henry A. Casey	S.	57
School Comm. 3 years	Elvie M. Doubleday	S	59
Constables for one year	Guy L. Maxwell	S	60
	Walter Moore	S	54
Board of Health for 3 years	Lester L. Hager	S	61
Board of Health for 2 years	Myron M. Doubleday	S	7
	William A Nickerson		1
	Leon Stone		2
	Henry M. Brown		1
Trustee Public Library 3 years	Marion W. Hager	S	58
Auditor one year	Louis W. Golden		57
Cem Comm. 3 years	Arren E. Vaughn	S	54
one year Tree Warden	Walter Moore	S	57
one year Sexton	Arren E. Vaughn	S	54

March 29, 1938

Henry A Carey, Town Clerk

The following appointments were made March 21, 1938,

Surveyors of Wood & Lumber

Ernest Doane, Harry S. Witt

Supt of Highways - Walter Moore

Moth Supt. - Henry Bishop

Forest Fire Warden - LeRoy H. Thayer

Water Comm. - Truman Lezotte

Chief of Police - John A. Humphreys

Inspector of Animals - Leon Stone

Special Constable - Albert E. Doane

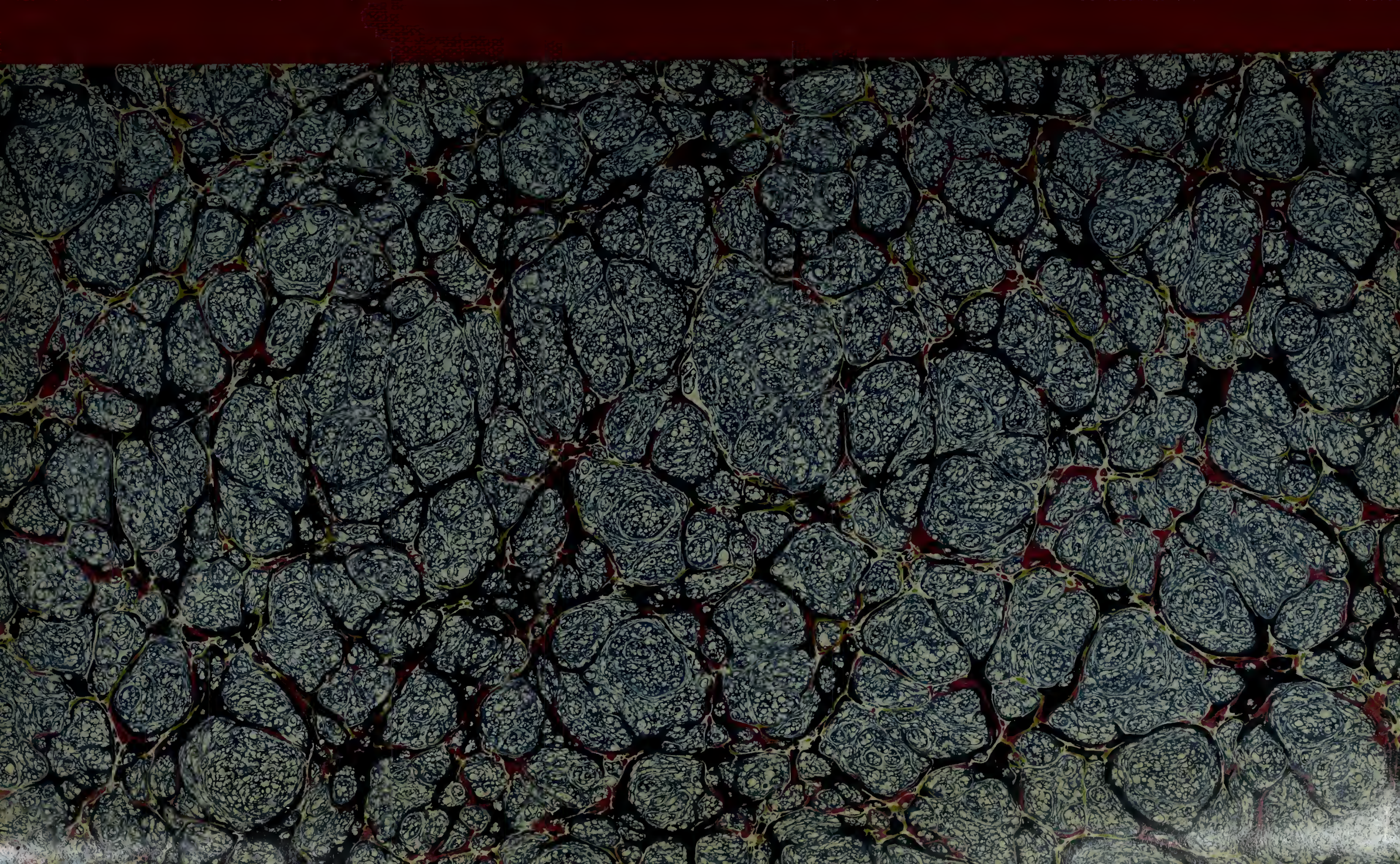
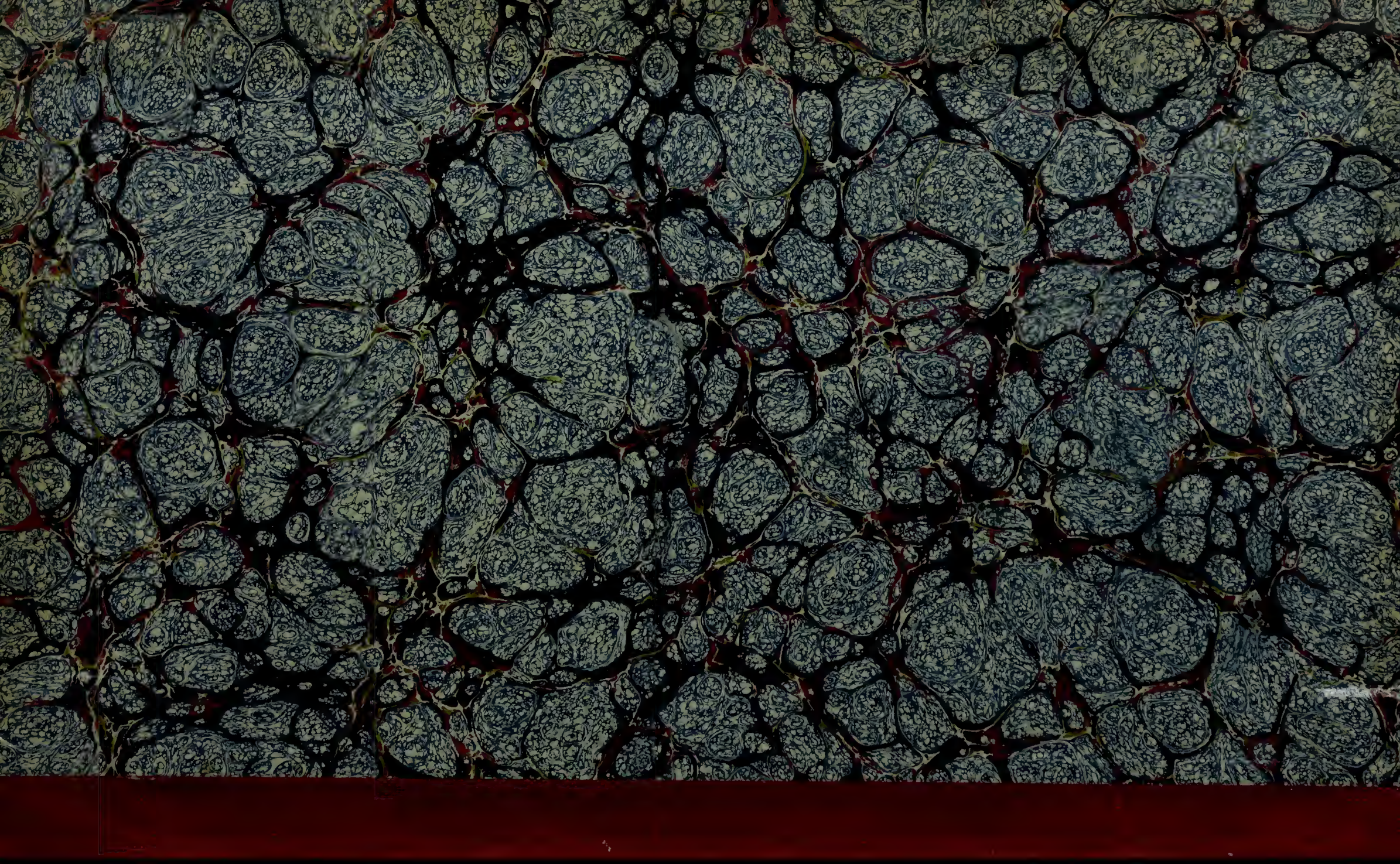
Chairman Board of Selectmen - John A. Humphreys

Sealer of Wts. & Measures - Albert E. Doane

Henry A Carey, Town Clerk.

April 5, 1938

Jury Schedules drawn for Civil Jurors for May 1938 session at Worcester Superior Court,

Henry A Carey Town Clerk.

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